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In re the application of: Adrian KENDALL

Application No.: 10/537,390

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SECOND RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS, 35 USC §371

Dear Sir:

This communication follows up a telephone call to Ms. Charitta A. Burt of the Office of Initial Patent Examination made on January 31, 2007. Ms. Burt could not locate Applicant's Response to Notice of Missing Requirements, 35 USC §371 which was mailed to the United States Patent and Trademark Office on 11 January 2006. Applicant therefore furnishes a copy of this response and evidence that it was mailed on January 11, 2006.

In particular, Applicant transmits herewith copies of the following:

- 1. Response to Notice of Missing Requirements, 35 USC §371.
- 2. A signed inventor's declaration, in compliance with 37 CFR §1.497(a) and (b).
- A Power of Attorney and Certificate under 37 CFR §3.73(b), executed by an authorized representative of the Assignee of this Application. Concurrently with the mailing of

Attorney Docket No. 35832.000118

this Response on 11 January 2006, Applicant mailed the assignment recordation cover sheet and

recordation fee to the Assignment Branch for recordation.

4. Notification of Missing Requirements.

5. Return postcard stamped by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on

January 17, 2006.

Applicant awaits receipt of an Official Filing Receipt and examination on the merits in

due course.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed 22 November 2005.

Applicant encloses herewith:

- 1. A signed inventor's declaration, in compliance with 37 CFR §1.497(a) and (b).
- 2. A Power of Attorney and Certificate under 37 CFR §3.73(b), executed by an authorized representative of the Assignee of this Application. Concurrently with this Response, Applicant is mailing the assignment recordation cover sheet and recordation fee to the Assignment Branch for recordation.
 - 3. A copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements.

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4. A fee transmittal under cover of which the surcharge for this response is submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

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